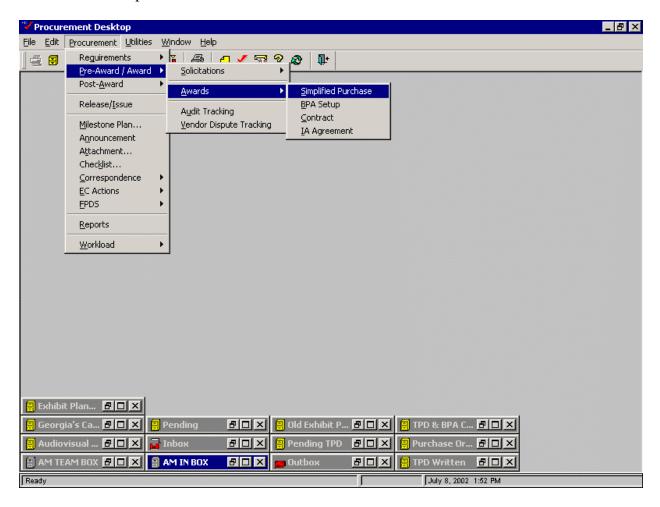
This appendix prescribes step-by-step instructions for obligating and awarding cooperative agreements, task agreements, and interagency acquisition agreements in Procurement Desktop (PD). Procurement Desktop is the Department of the Interior Electronic Acquisition System (IDEAS) software.

#### **COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS:**

1. Create an Optional Form 347 by choosing "Procurement," "Pre-Award/Award," "Awards," and then "Simplified Purchase."



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Cooperative agreements are numbered as follows: H

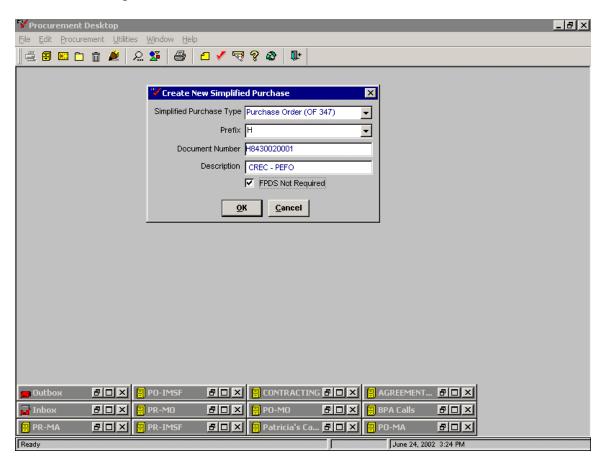
Numbering of the OF-347 is the same.

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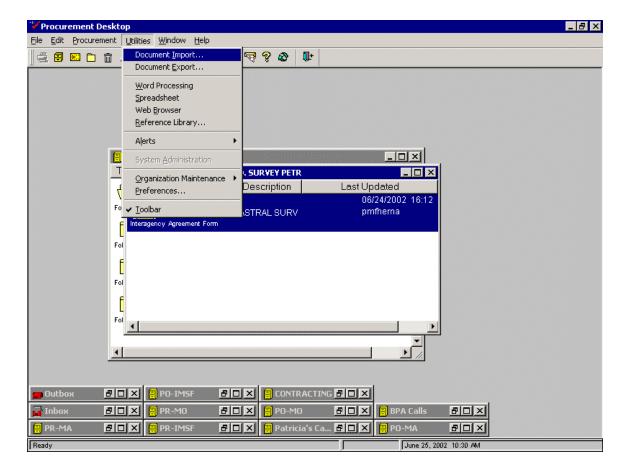
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3. Choose the option "FPDS NOT REQUIRED."



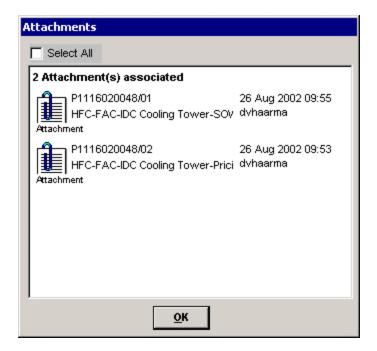
4. Creation of the OF-347 for cooperative agreements is for obligation purposes only. In the Line Item Extended Description block of the OF-347, type in a statement such as "This document serves as the obligation document for Cooperative Agreement Number H\_\_\_\_\_. See attached cooperative agreement for more information."

5. Attach a copy of the cooperative agreement to the OF-347. Go to "Utilities" and select "Document Import." The document you are importing must be on a local drive or a disk; it cannot be on a shared network drive.

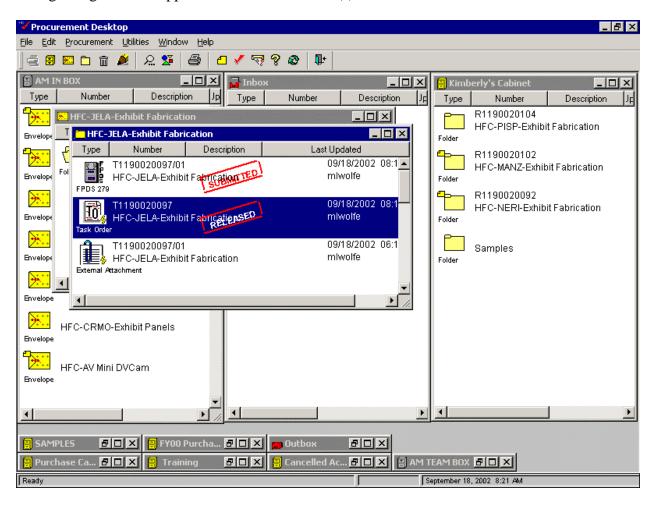


- 6. Validate your document for Electronic Commerce transmission by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Validate."
- 7. Once the document has passed EC Validation, electronically submit by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Submit."

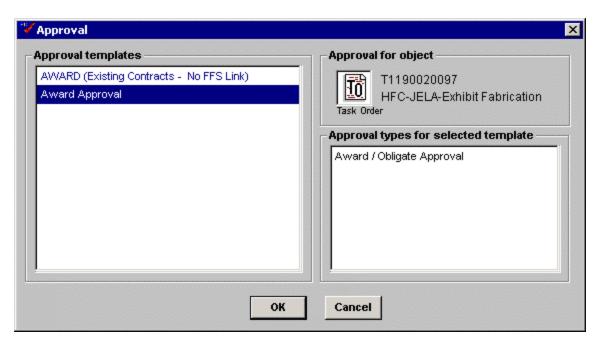
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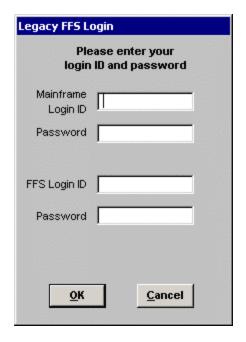
8. Once you click okay, you document(s) will be issued and electronically awarded. A yellow lightning bolt will appear beside the document(s) that were submitted.



9. Approve using the "Award Approval" option.



You will be prompted for your USGS and FFS Logins in order to make the award. When the award is going through you will then be prompted for your SEC1 Code (this is the acronym for your Region/Park).





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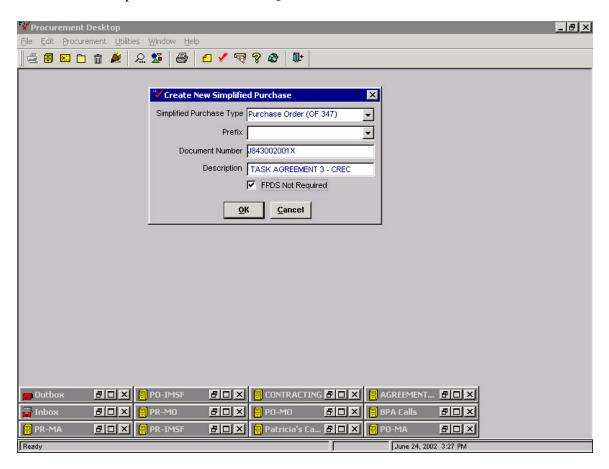
#### OBLIGATING AGREEMENTS IN PROCUREMENT DESKTOP

# TASK AGREEMENTS: USE THESE INSTRUCTIONS WHEN YOU ARE ISSUING TASK AGREEMENTS TO THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT TO OBLIGATE FUNDS.

1. Create an Optional Form 347 by choosing "Procurement," "Pre-Award/Award," "Awards," and then "Simplified Purchase."

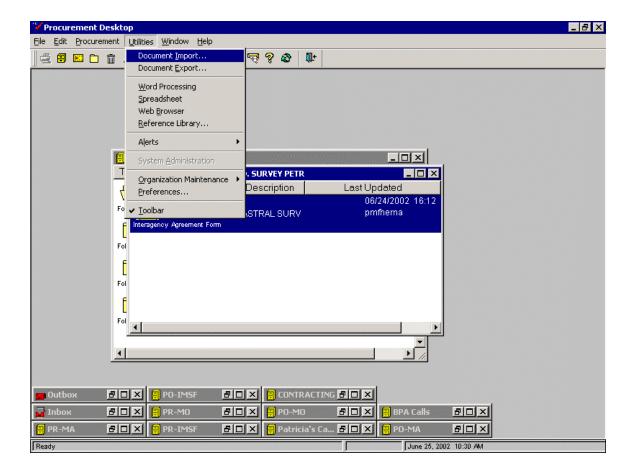
		Org Code	<b>FY</b>	Number
2.	Task Agreements are numbered as follows: <b>J</b>	{ <u>1 2 5 3</u> }	<u>0 0</u>	$\overline{\{\underline{0}\ \underline{0}\ \underline{0}\ \underline{1}\}}$
	Numbering of the OF-347 is the same.			

3. Choose the option "FPDS NOT REQUIRED."



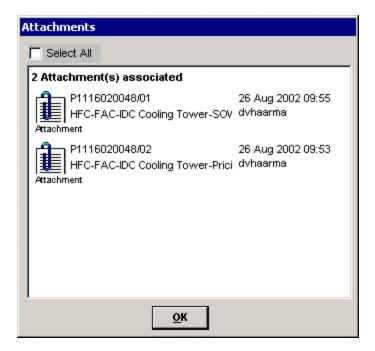
4. Creation of the OF-347 for task agreements is for obligation purposes only. In the Line Item Extended Description block of the OF-347, type in a statement such as "This document serves as the obligation document for Task Agreement Number J \_ \_ \_ \_ issued under Cooperative Agreement Number H \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ . See attached task agreement and cooperative agreement for more information."

5. Attach a copy of the cooperative agreement to the OF-347. Go to "Utilities" and select "Document Import." The document you are importing must be on a local drive or a disk; it cannot be on a shared network drive.

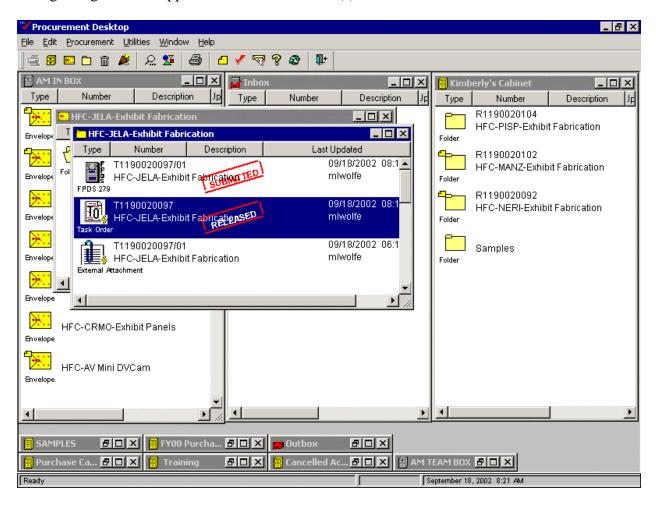


- 6. Validate your document for Electronic Commerce transmission by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Validate."
- 7. Once the document has passed EC Validation, electronically submit by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Submit."

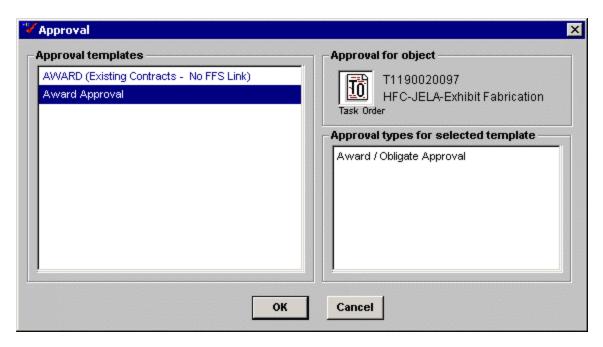
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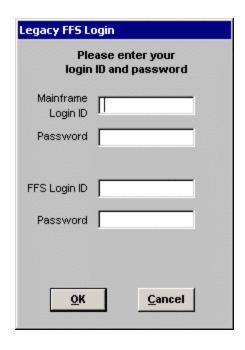
8. Once you click okay, you document(s) will be issued and electronically awarded. A yellow lightning bolt will appear beside the document(s) that were submitted.



9. Approve using the "Award Approval" option.



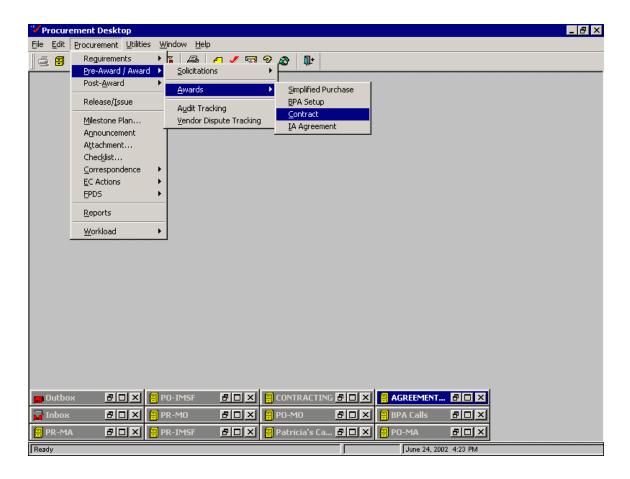
You will be prompted for your USGS and FFS Logins in order to make the award. When the award is going through you will then be prompted for your SEC1 Code (this is the acronym for your Region/Park).





# ANOTHER METHOD - TASK AGREEMENTS: USE THESE INSTRUCTIONS WHEN YOU ARE ISSUING TASK AGREEMENTS TO THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT TO OBLIGATE FUNDS.

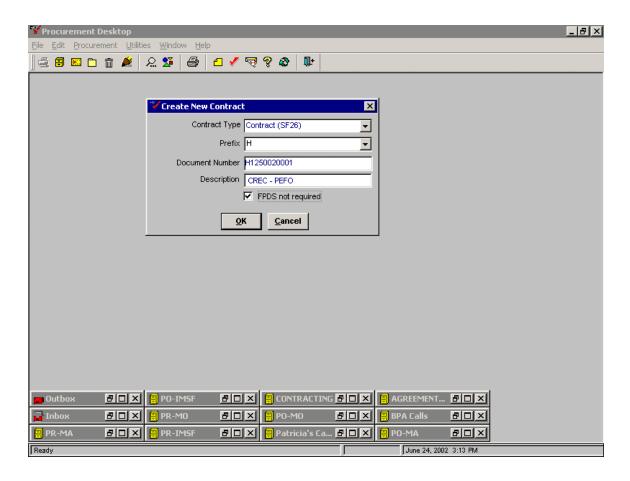
1. Create a Standard Form 26, Contract, by choosing "Procurement," "Pre-Award/Award," "Awards," "Contract."



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2. Cooperative agreements are numbered as follows:  $\underline{\mathbf{H}}$   $\underbrace{ \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Org} \ \mathbf{Code} \\ \{\underline{1} \ \underline{2} \ \underline{5} \ \underline{3}\} \end{array} }_{\text{Numbering of the OF-347 is the same.}} \underbrace{ \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{PY} \\ \{\underline{1} \ \underline{2} \ \underline{5} \ \underline{3}\} \end{array} }_{\text{Variable}} \underbrace{ \begin{array}{cccc} \mathbf{PY} \\ \underline{0} \ \underline{0} \ \underline{0} \ \underline{1}\} \end{array} }_{\text{Numbering of the Numbering of$ 

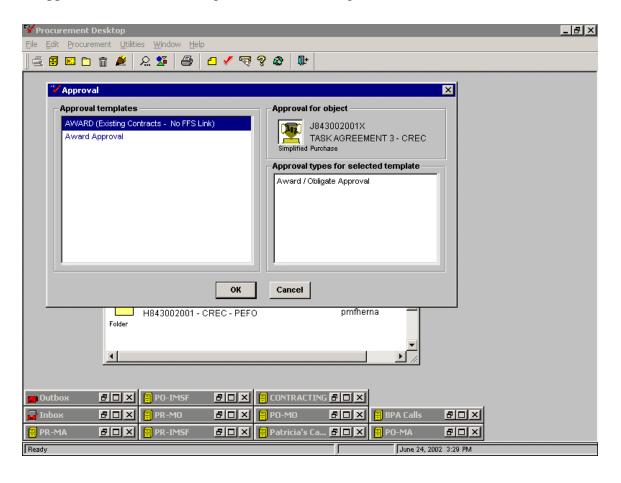
3. Choose the option "FPDS NOT REQUIRED."



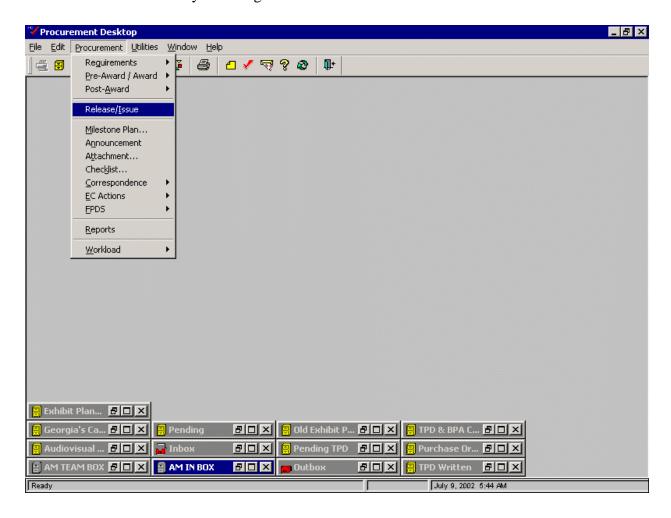
- 4. You do not need to complete the entire document nor generate clauses. This document will be used only as a document to create and obligate task agreements to the cooperative agreement. On the SF-26 the items required to be completed are:
  - Item 2, "Contract Number."
  - Item 5, "Issued By."
  - Item 7, "Name and Address of Contractor."
  - Item 12, "Payment will be made by."

Line Item Description: In this block you can type in a statement such as "Informational document for Cooperative Agreement Number H \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ . See attached cooperative agreement for more information."

5. Approve the document using "AWARD (Existing Contracts - No FFS Link)."

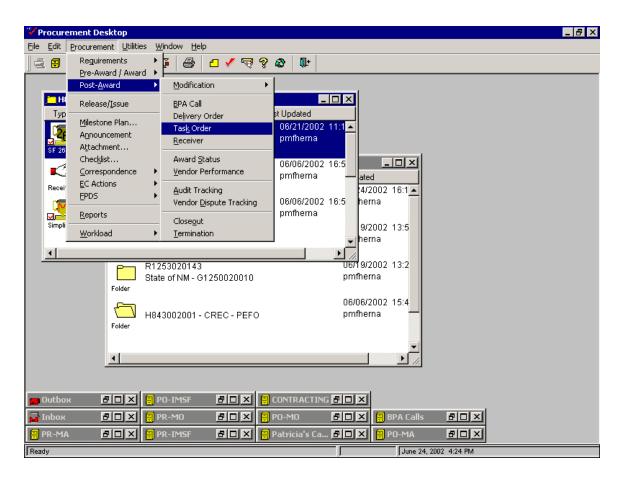


6. Release the document by choosing "Procurement" and then "Release/Issue."



#### TO CREATE A TASK AGREEMENT AFTER CREATING THE SF-26:

1. Highlight the SF-26, Contract, you created for the cooperative agreement. Choose "Procurement," "Post-Award," and "Task Order."

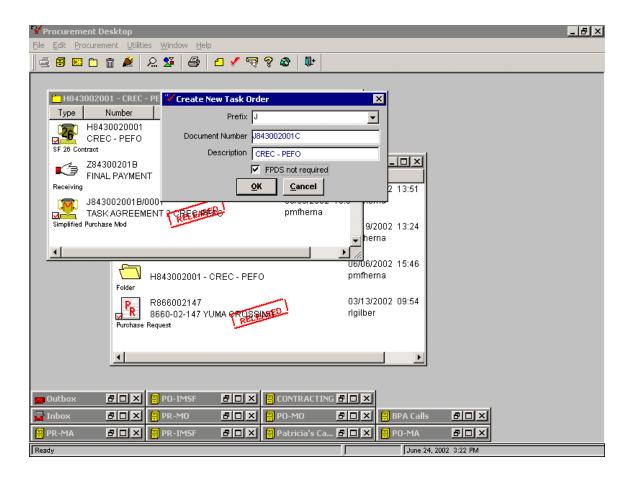


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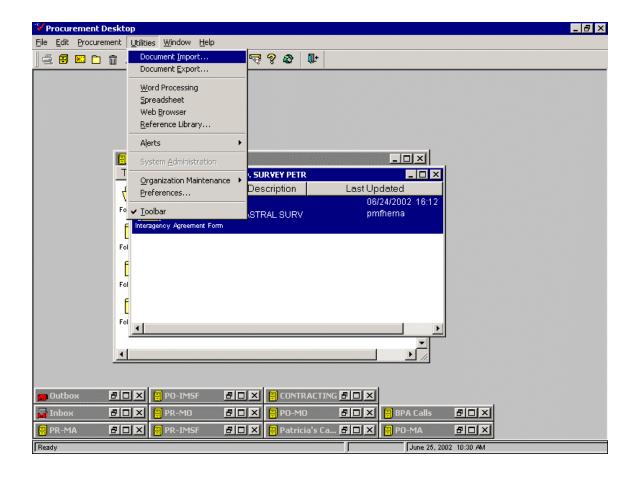
2. Create a task agreement numbered as follows:  $\underline{\mathbf{J}}$   $\{\underline{1}\ \underline{2}\ \underline{5}\ \underline{3}\}$   $\underline{0}\ \underline{0}$ 

3. Choose the option "FPDS NOT REQUIRED."



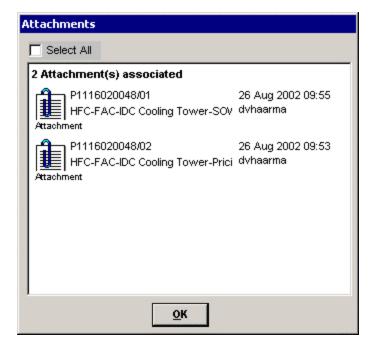
4. Creation of the task agreement is for obligation purposes only. In the description of the task agreement, type in a statement such as "This document serves as the obligation document for Task Agreement Number J \_ \_ \_ \_ issued under Cooperative Agreement Number H \_ \_ \_ \_ . See attached task agreement and cooperative agreement for more information."

5. Attach a copy of the cooperative agreement to the OF-347. Go to "Utilities" and select "Document Import." The document you are importing must be on a local drive or a disk; it cannot be on a shared network drive.

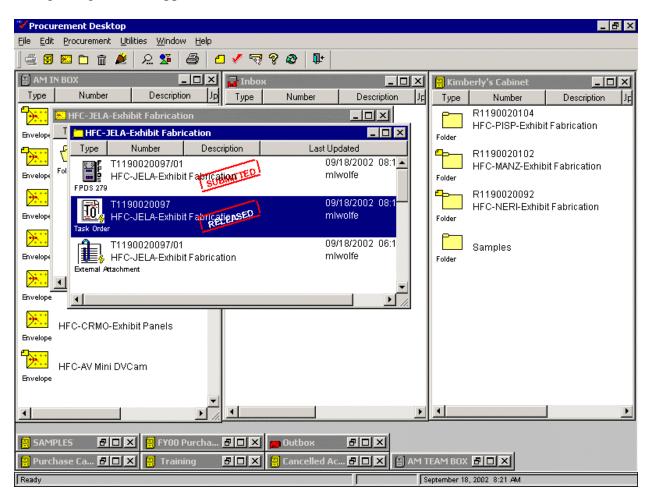


- 6. Validate your document for Electronic Commerce transmission by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Validate."
- 7. Once the document has passed EC Validation, electronically submit by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Submit."

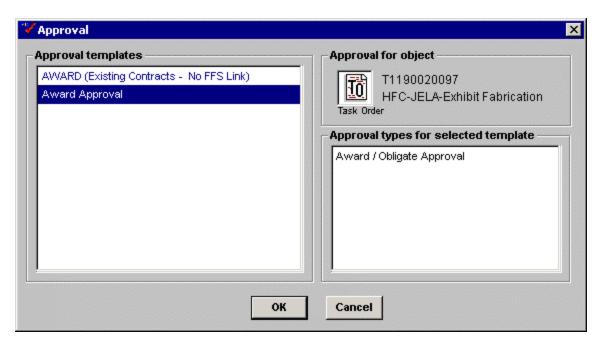
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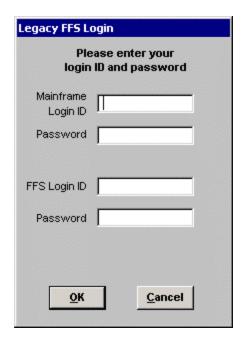
8. Once you click okay, you document(s) will be issued and electronically awarded. A yellow lightning bolt will appear beside the document(s) that were submitted.



9. Approve using the "Award Approval" option.



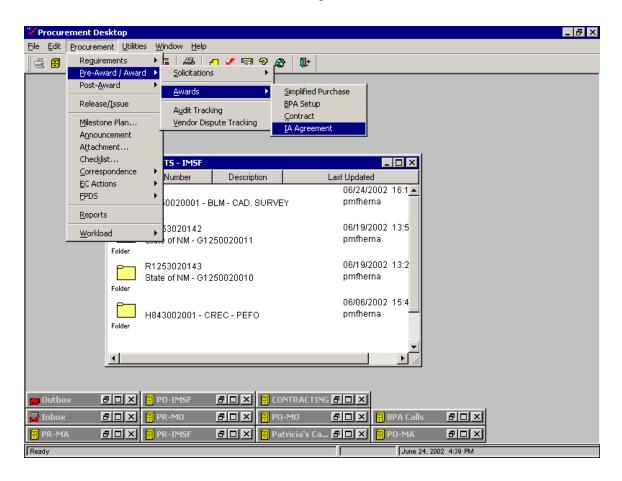
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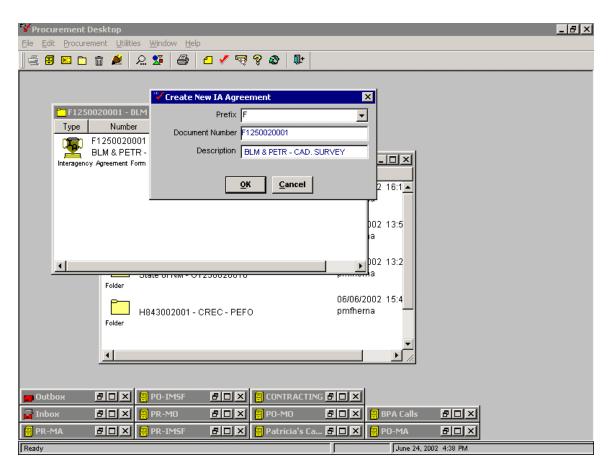


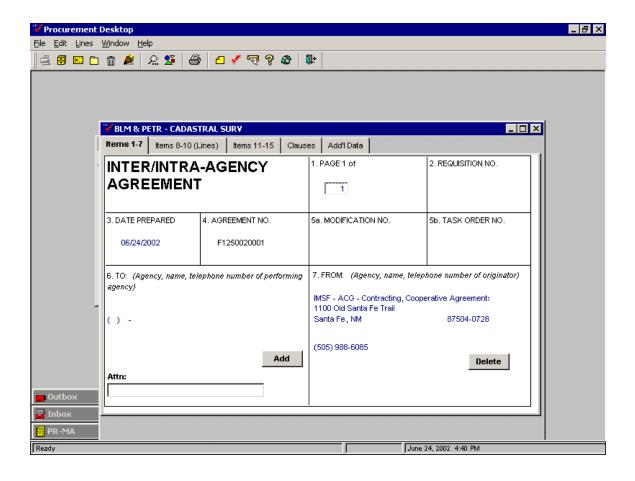
### **INTERAGENCY ACQUISITION AGREEMENTS:**

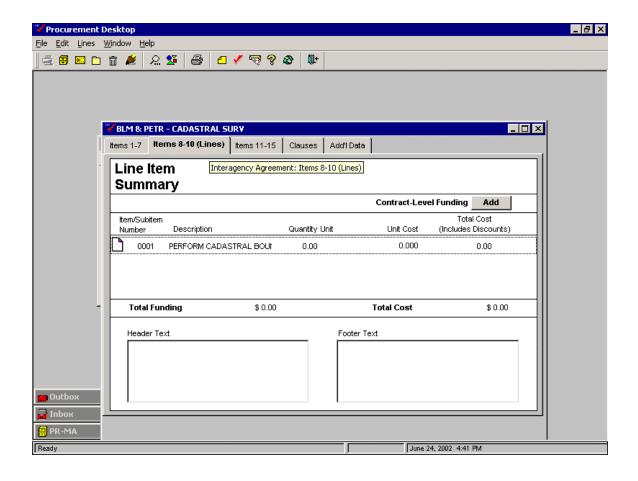
1. Create an interagency acquisition agreement by choosing "Procurement," "Pre-Award/Award," "Awards," and the "IA Agreement."

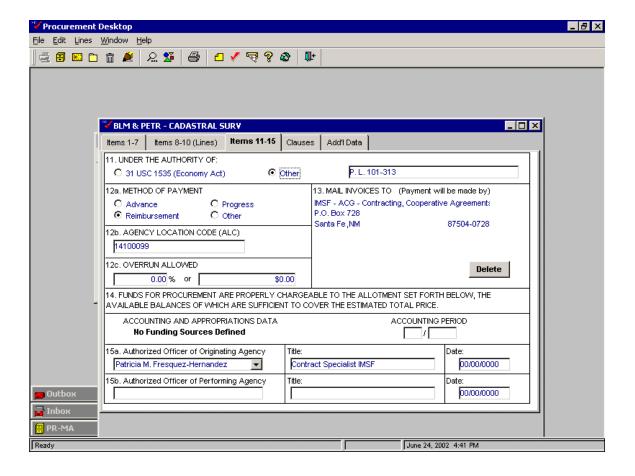


2. Interagency acquisition agreements are numbered as follows:

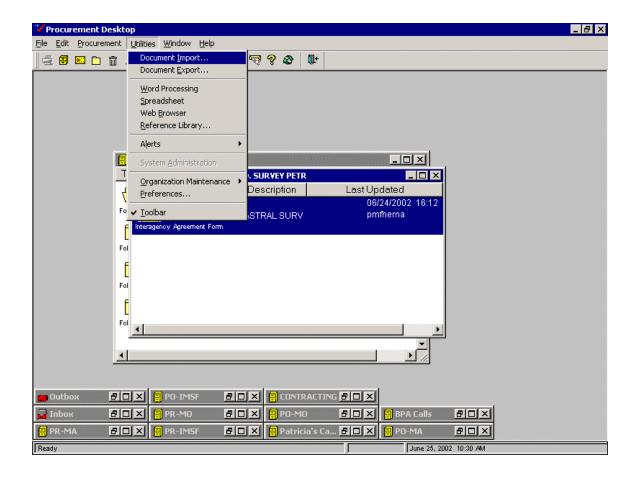








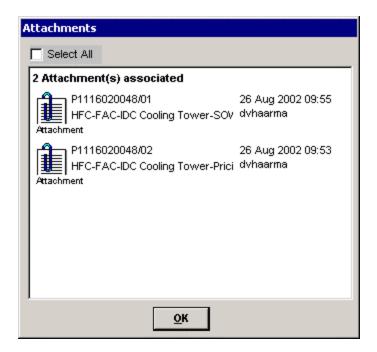
3. Attach a copy of the cooperative agreement to the OF-347. Go to "Utilities" and select "Document Import." The document you are importing must be on a local drive or a disk; it cannot be on a shared network drive.



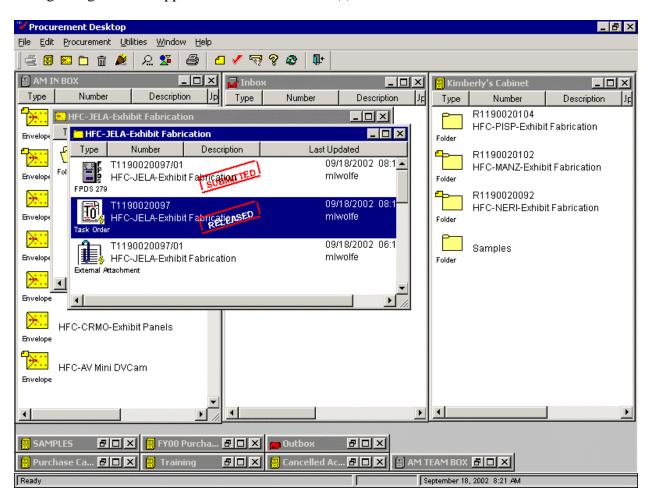
#### If you are obligating funds through this interagency acquisition agreement:

- 4. Validate your document for Electronic Commerce transmission by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Validate."
- 5. Once the document has passed EC Validation, electronically submit by choosing "Procurement," "EC Actions," and then "EC Submit."

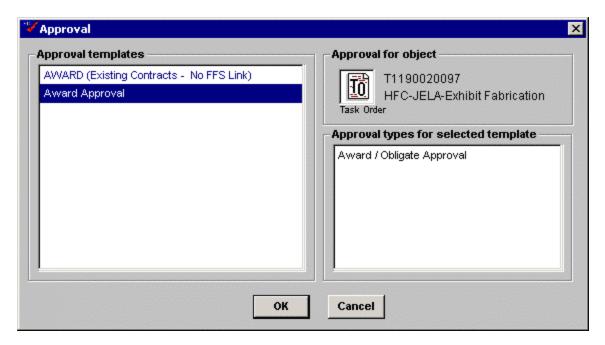
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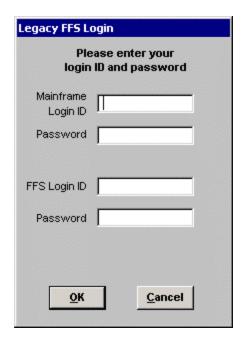
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7. Approve using the "Award Approval" option.



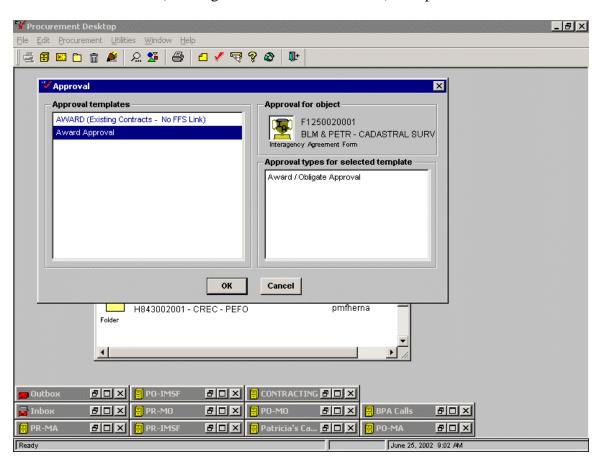
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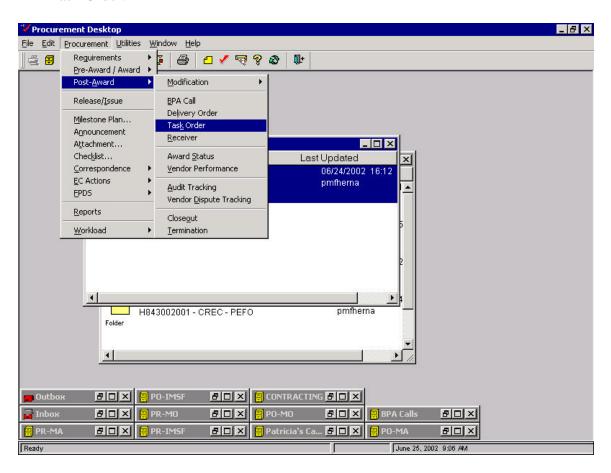
4. Use the "AWARD (Existing Contracts – No FFS Link)" template.



5. Once this template is "Approved," then go to "Procurement" and select "Release/Issue."

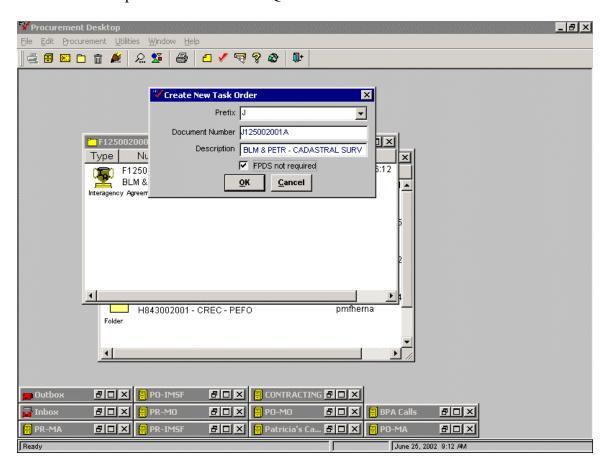
## CREATING A TASK AGREEMENT TO AN INTERAGENCY ACQUISITION AGREEMENT:

1. Highlight the interagency agreement you created. Choose "Procurement," "Post-Award," and "Task Order."



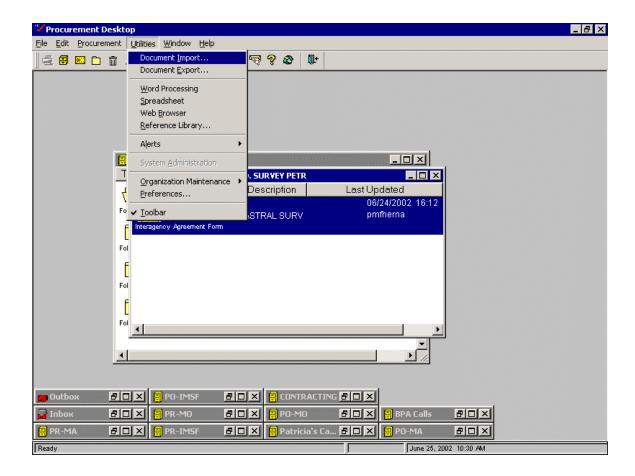
2. Create a task agreement numbered as follows:  $\underline{\mathbf{H}}$   $\underbrace{\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Org\ Code} \\ \mathbf{Org\ Code} \end{array}}_{\mathbf{FY}} & \underbrace{\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Sequential} \\ \mathbf{Number} \\ \mathbf{000\ 01} \end{array}}_{\mathbf{000\ 01}}$ 

3. Choose the option "FPDS NOT REQUIRED."



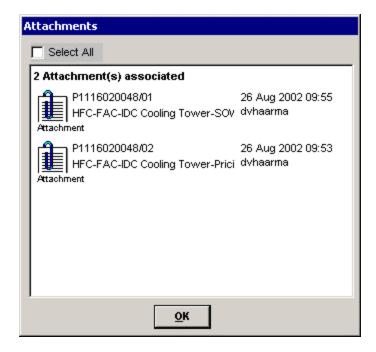
4. Creation of the task agreement is for obligation purposes only. In the description of the purchase order type in a statement such as "This document serves as the obligation document for Task Agreement Number J \_ \_ \_ \_ issued under Interagency Acquisition Agreement Number H \_ \_ \_ \_ . See task agreement and interagency acquisition agreement for more information."

5. Attach a copy of the cooperative agreement to the OF-347. Go to "Utilities" and select "Document Import." The document you are importing must be on a local drive or a disk; it cannot be on a shared network drive.

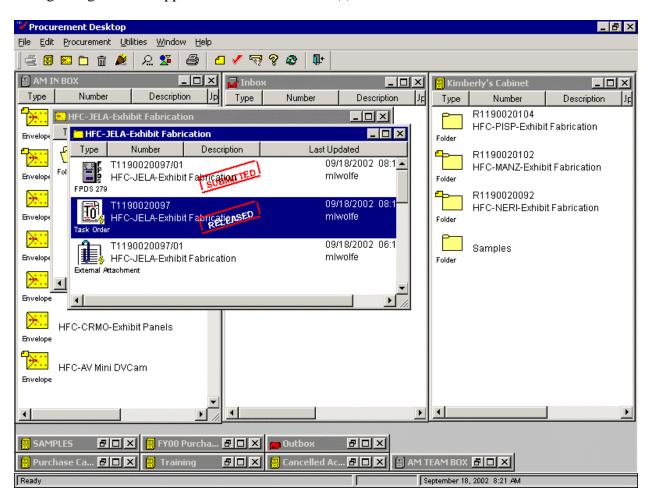


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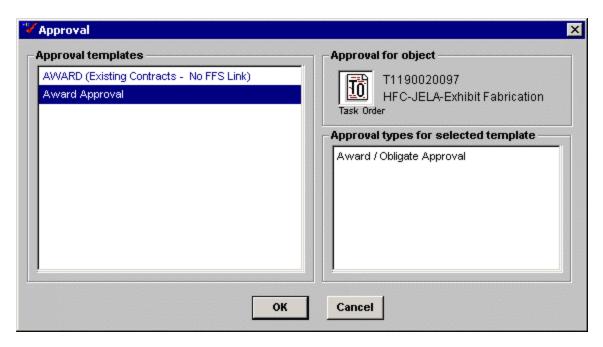
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